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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination, so that both the Amendment filed 13 November 2002, and the Supplemental Amendment filed herewith can be entered and examined.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 the amount of \$375.00 to cover the required fee for a small entity.

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Sir:

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Request For Continued Examination and fee of \$375.00

Supplemental Amendment Including Version With Markings To Show Changes Made

Request for Extension of Time for three month(s) and fee of \$465.00

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